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Application No. 2002-268751 Filed September 13, 2002
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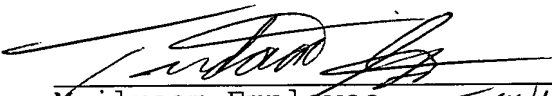
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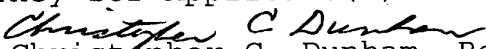
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